



Board of Health

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The Thurston Board of Health has responsibility and authority for public health in both incorporated and unincorporated areas of the County.

Agenda of Tuesday, May 9, 2023

Summary of Timed Items

4:30 p.m.) Call Meeting to Order
4:40 p.m.) Proclamations and Presentations

1) 4:30 p.m.) Call Meeting to Order

- Approval of the Agenda

2) 4:35 p.m.) Opportunity for the Public to Address the Board of Health

4 minutes per citizen

3) 4:40 p.m.) Proclamation

- a) **Description:** National Nurses Week Proclamation
- Contact:** Gretchen Thaller, Program Manager
- Action:** The Board will proclaim the week of May 6th to May 12th as National Nurses Week in Thurston County.



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4) Department Item

- a) **Description:** Thurston County Healthcare System Presentation
- Contact:** Ben Miller-Todd, Emergency Services Director
- Action:** Emergency Services, Public Health, and the local hospital CEOs will present the Board of Health with a briefing of the local healthcare system.



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5) Health Officer's Report

Dr. Dimyana Abdelmalek will report on various items.

6) Adjournment

Motion: Move to adjourn the Board of Health meeting for May 9, 2023

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Board of Health AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

Agenda Date: 05/09/2023

Date Created: 4/24/2023

Agenda Item #:

Created by: Cissy Fontenot, Administrative Assistant II - Public Health and Social Services - 360-867-2681

Presenter: **Gretchen Thaller, Program Manager - Community Wellness - 360-867-2545**

Item Title:

National Nurses Week Proclamation

Action Needed: Other

Class of Item: Department

List of Exhibits



Proclamation-Nurses
Week 2023.pdf
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Recommended Action:

The Board will proclaim the week of May 6th to May 12th as National Nurses Week in Thurston County.

Item Description:

NA

Date Submitted: 4/24/2023

Proclamation

National Nurses Week, May 6th-12th 2023

***WHEREAS,** the week of May 6-12, 2023, is National Nurses Week, with this year's theme being "You Make a Difference" to honor nurses' varying roles as well as the positive impact they have on every person's life; and*

***WHEREAS,** thousands of nurses work in Washington State, including nearly 84,000 Registered Nurses, Licensed Practical Nurses, and Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioners including staff nurses, nurse educators, school nurses, public health nurses, long-term care nurses, nurse managers, and nurses in many other practice areas; and*

***WHEREAS,** Thurston County nurses represent the front line of disease prevention, health promotion and achieving optimal health in most health systems including public health, especially as we fight the global COVID-19 pandemic; and*

***WHEREAS,** now more than ever, we need to support and recognize nurses for their contributions in crises and for their ongoing roles in meeting the needs of patients and their communities; and*

***WHEREAS,** nurses are public health heroes who make our communities safer and healthier, and contribute to our community as advocates, educators, and providers of critical health services; and*

***WHEREAS,** Thurston County nurses are committed to serving our community 365 days a year, and support many vulnerable individuals and their families with a caring and competent presence; and*

***WHEREAS,** Thurston County nurses' contributions are considered crucial to the delivery of effective high quality care with positive, lasting outcomes; and*

***WHEREAS,** nurses improve the quality of life in our communities through their tireless efforts to educate, support, and provide important resources to their patients.*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** the Board of Health hereby proclaims **May 6th-12th 2023 as Nurses Week** in Thurston County and calls upon all residents, communities, government agencies, faith groups, medical facilities, elected leaders, organizations, and businesses to celebrate nurses' accomplishments and efforts to improve the health of our residents and show our appreciation for Thurston County's nurses not just during this week, but at every opportunity throughout the year.*

Adopted this 9th day of May 2023
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Board of Health AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

Agenda Date: 05/09/2023

Date Created: 4/28/2023

Agenda Item #:

Created by: Jamie Caldwell, Clerk of the Board - Commissioners Office - 360-786-5440

Presenter: **Ben Miller-Todd, Emergency Services Director - Medic One - 360-704-2794**

Item Title:

Thurston County Healthcare System Presentation

Action Needed: Other

Class of Item: Department

List of Exhibits



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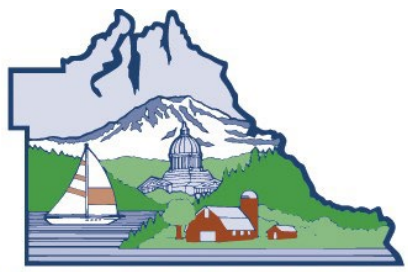
Recommended Action:

Emergency Services, Public Health, and the local hospital CEOs will present the Board of Health with a briefing of the local healthcare system.

Item Description:

None

Date Submitted: 4/28/2023



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Emergency Services

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Healthcare Briefing
May 9, 2023

Emergency Services

Introductions

Ben Miller-Todd: Director of Thurston County Emergency Services

David Bayne: Director of Public Health and Social Services

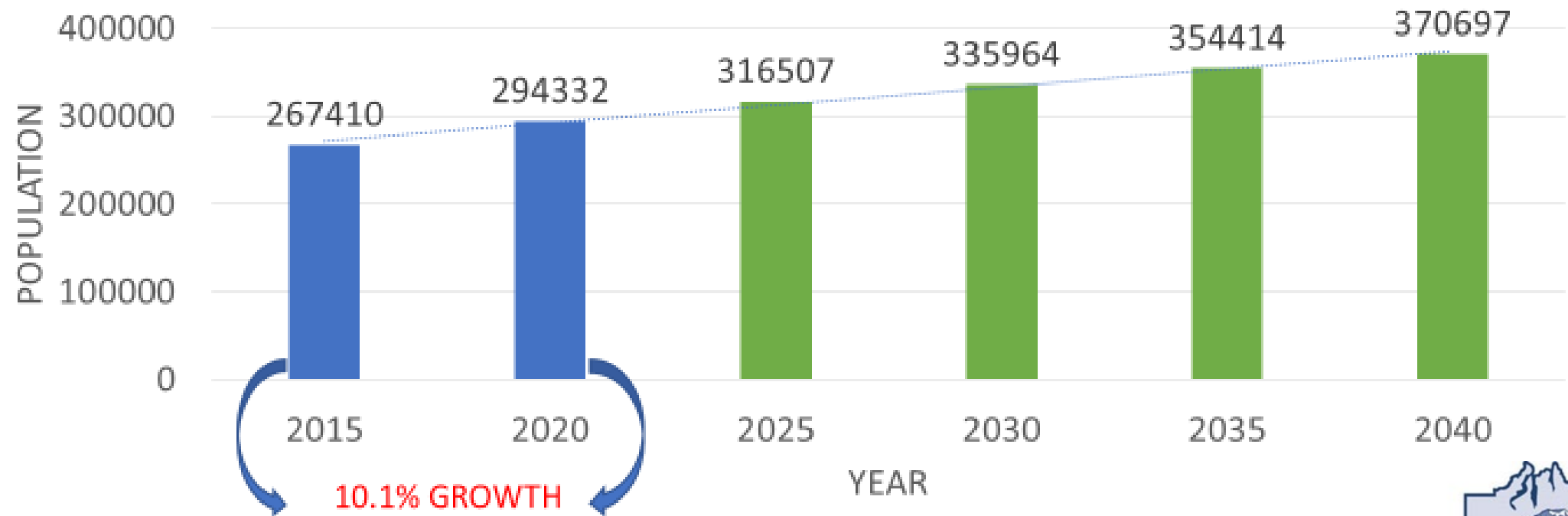
Darin Goss: Chief Executive, Providence Swedish South Puget Sound

Bill Kriegsman: Chief Medical Officer, Capital Medical Center



Population Growth

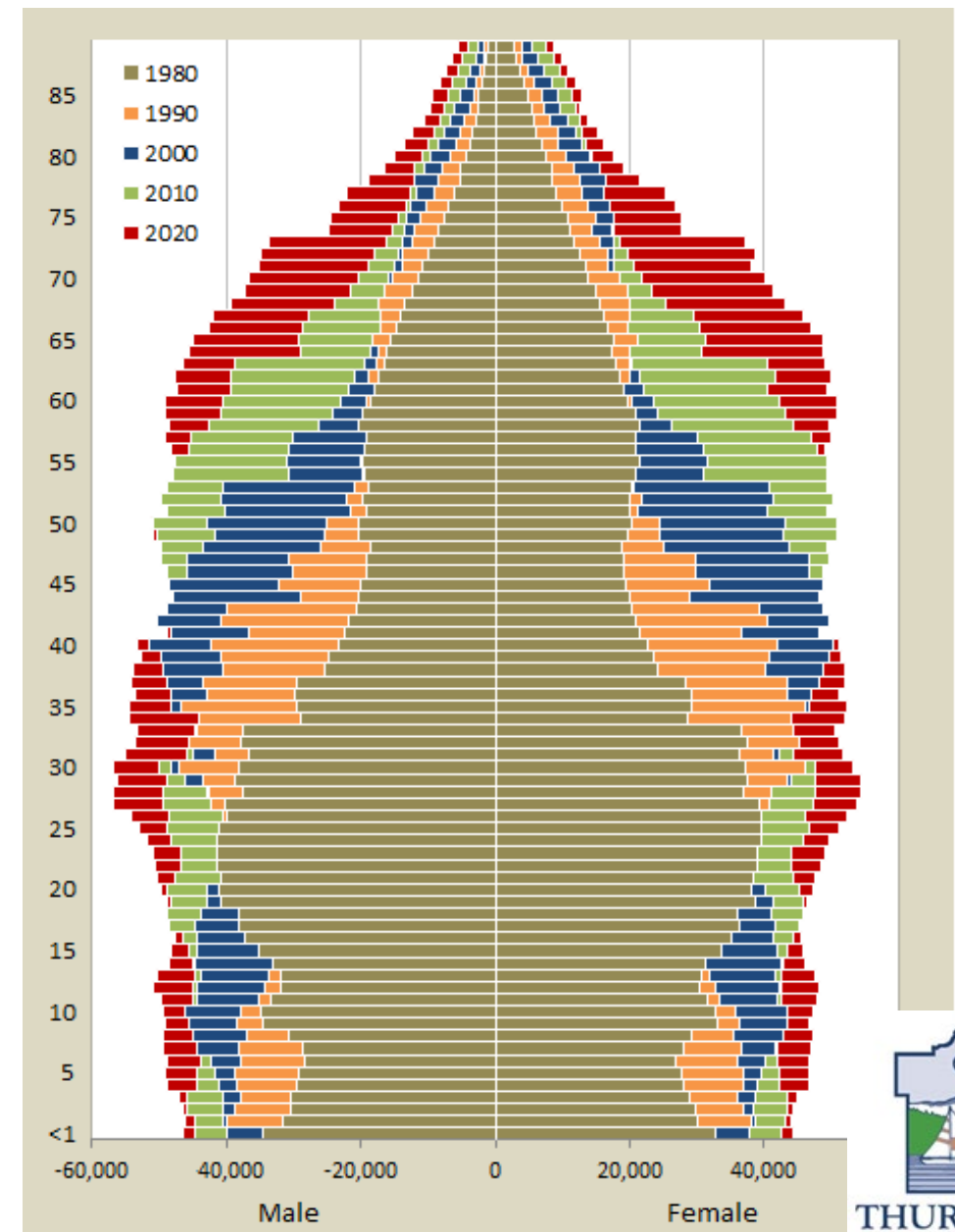
THURSTON COUNTY POPULATION- **HISTORICAL** AND **FORECASTING**
(Thurston Regional Planning Council)



Distribution Overview

Key Takeaways:

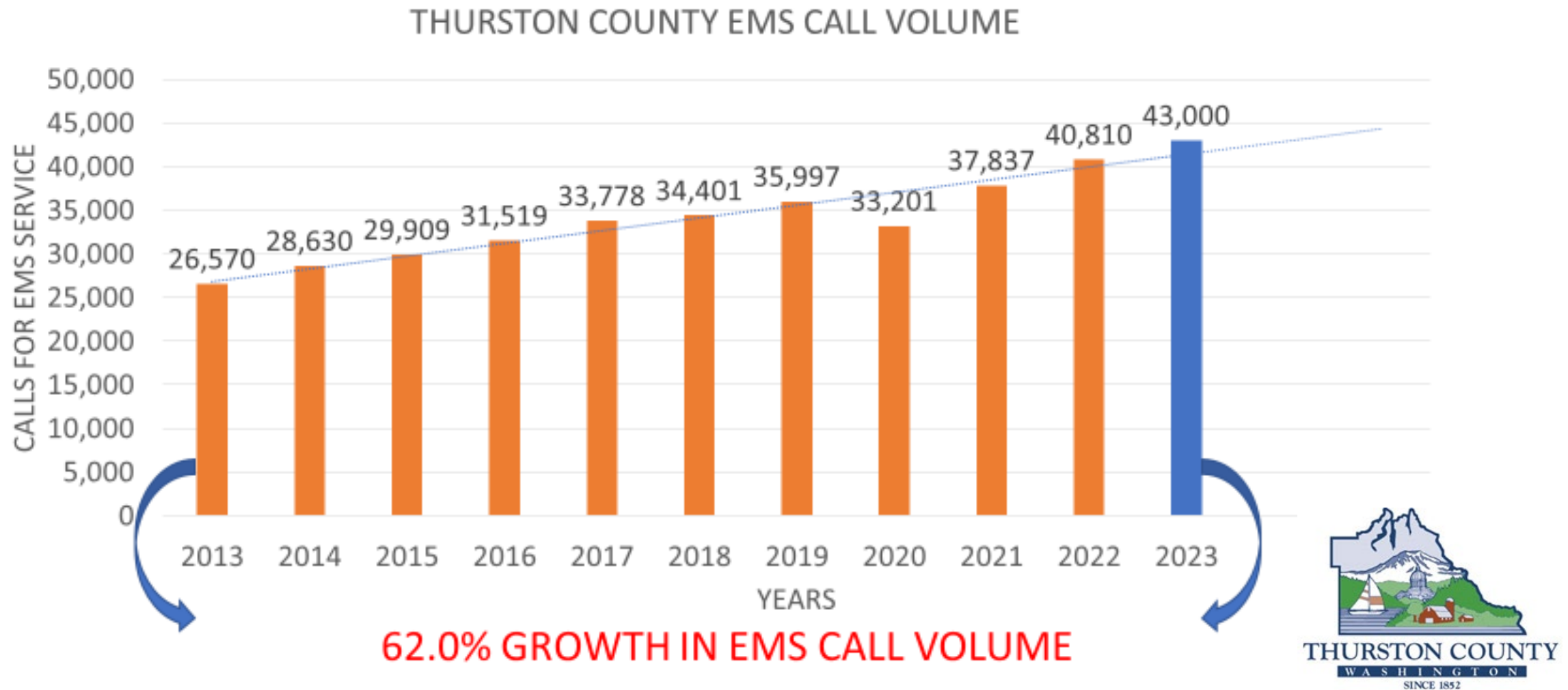
- 1980s 20-30 year old bulge
 - Aging
 - Consistent longitudinally
 - WA median age:
 - 29.8 years in 1980
 - 37.3 years in 2010
- “Baby Bust” in the 1960s and 70s
- Constriction below 20-30 year old contingent in 2020 graph



Effects Of Growing 911 Volumes

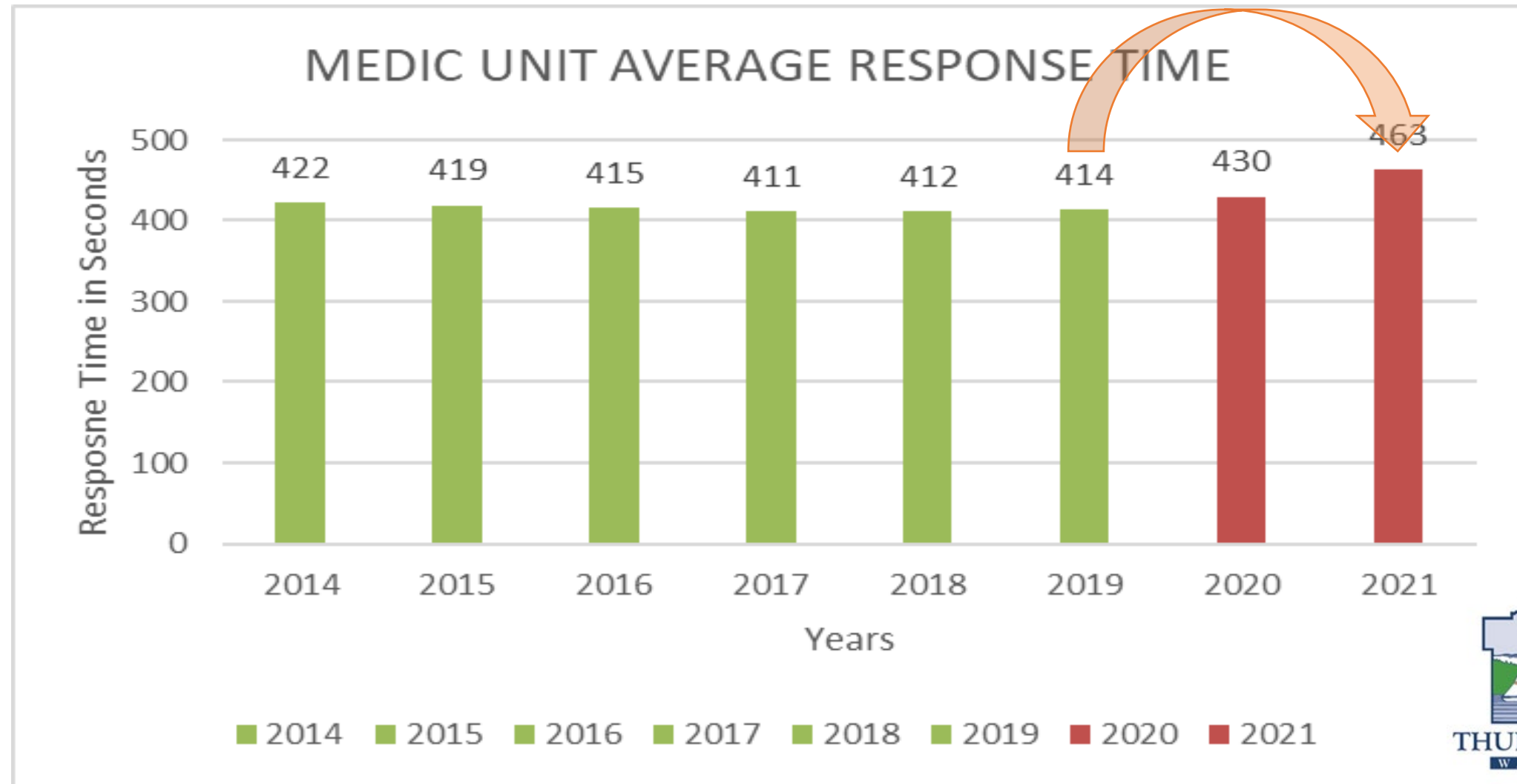


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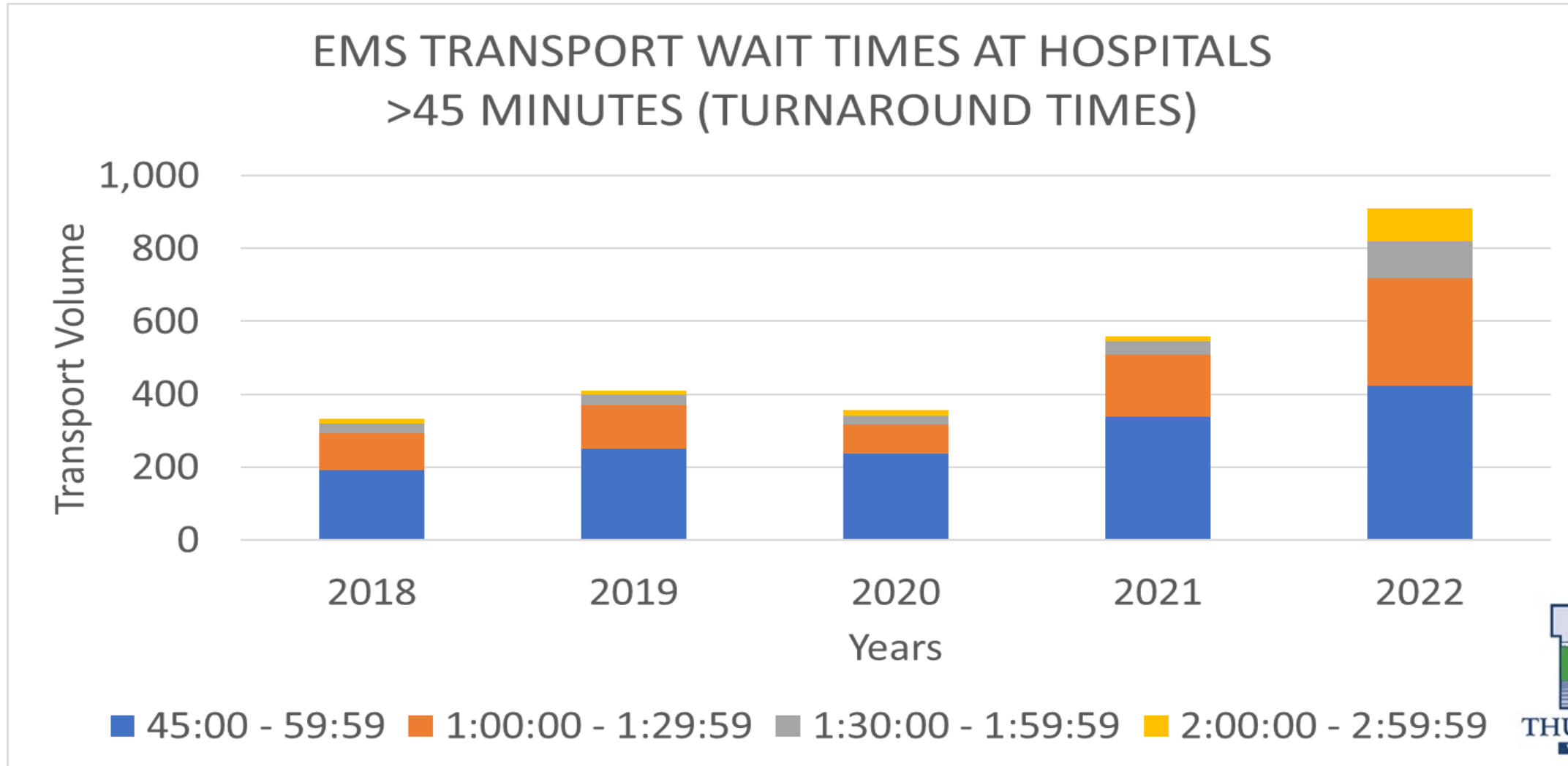


Emergency Services

12% Increase 2019 - 2021



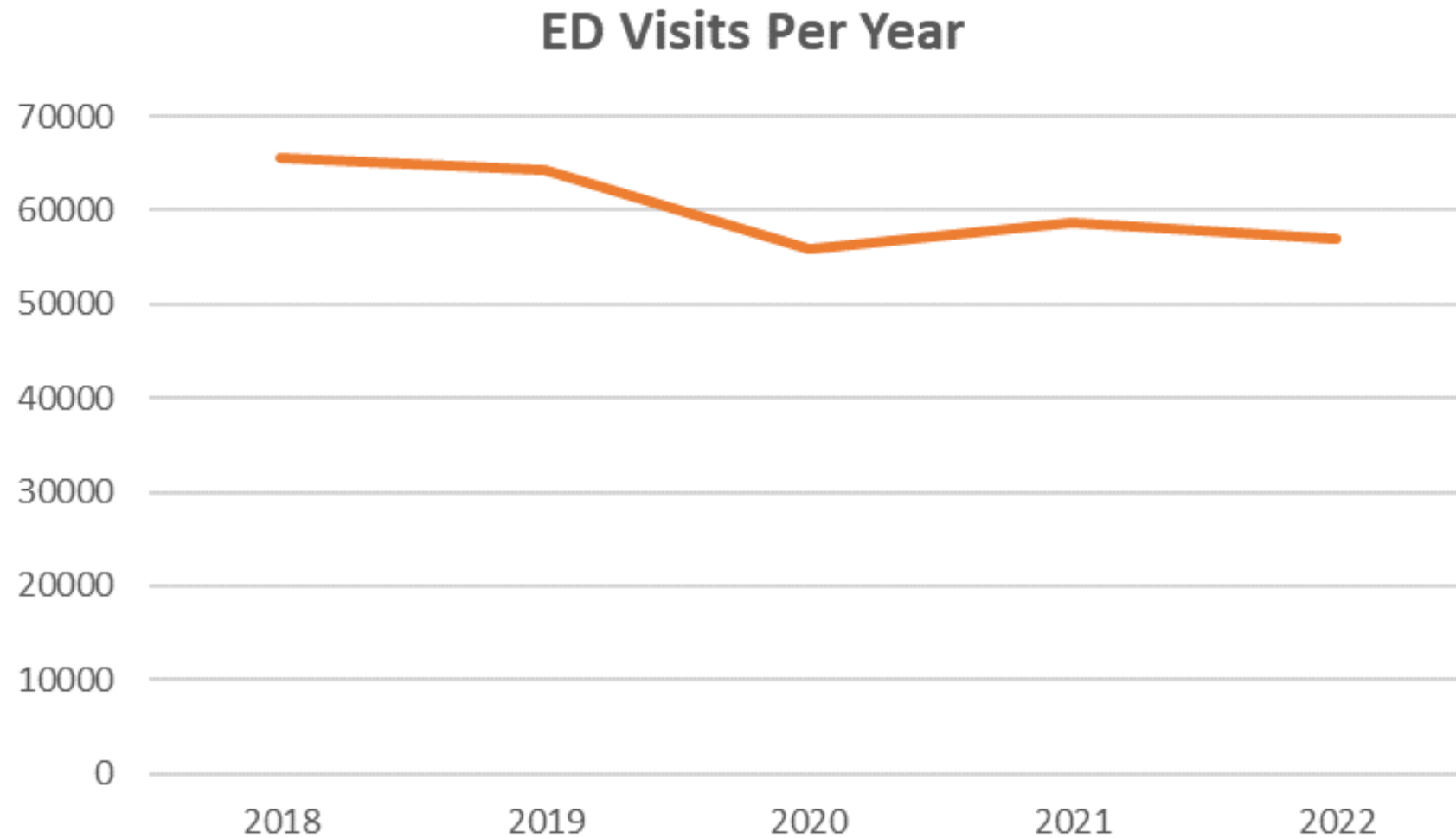
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Hospital Considerations

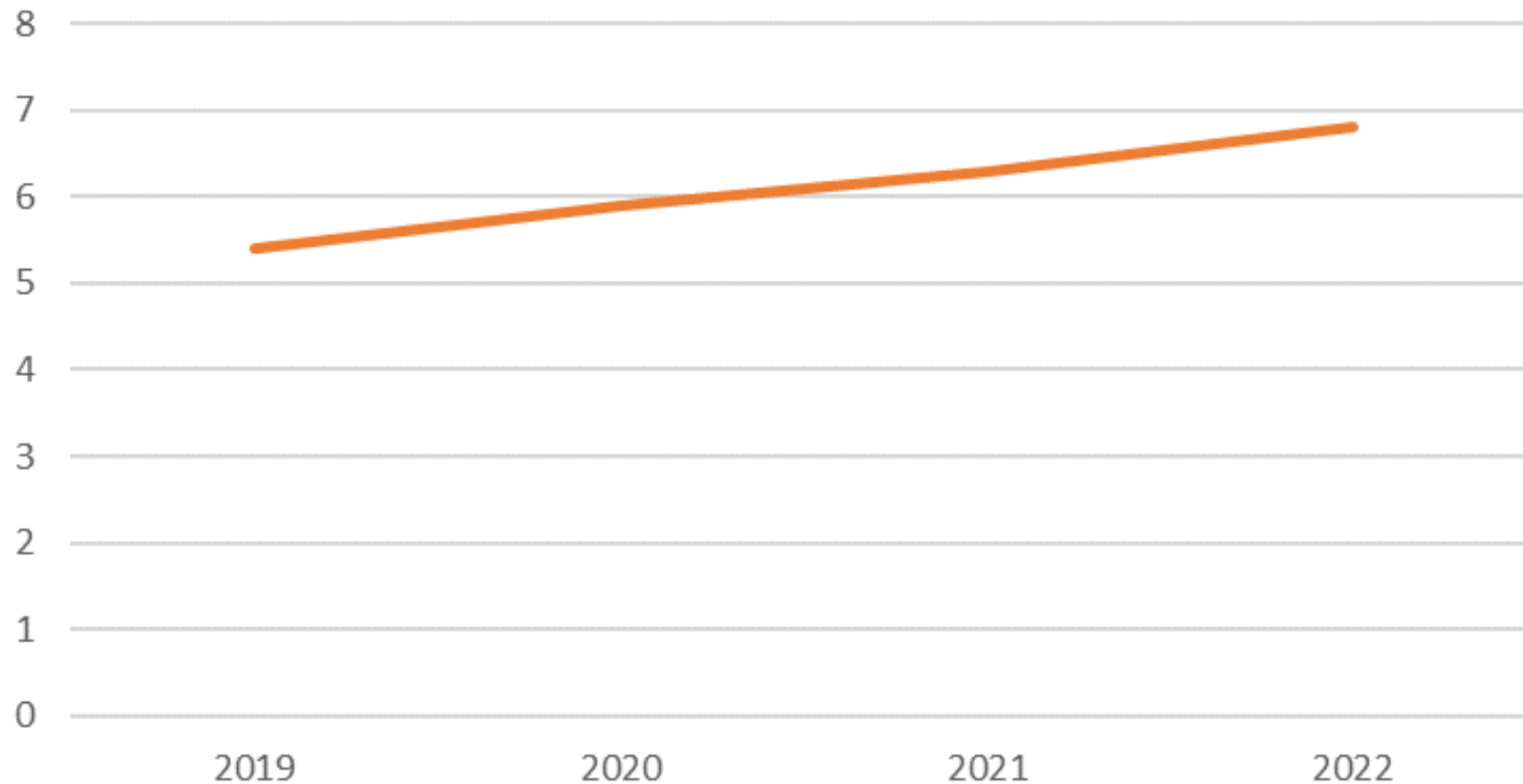


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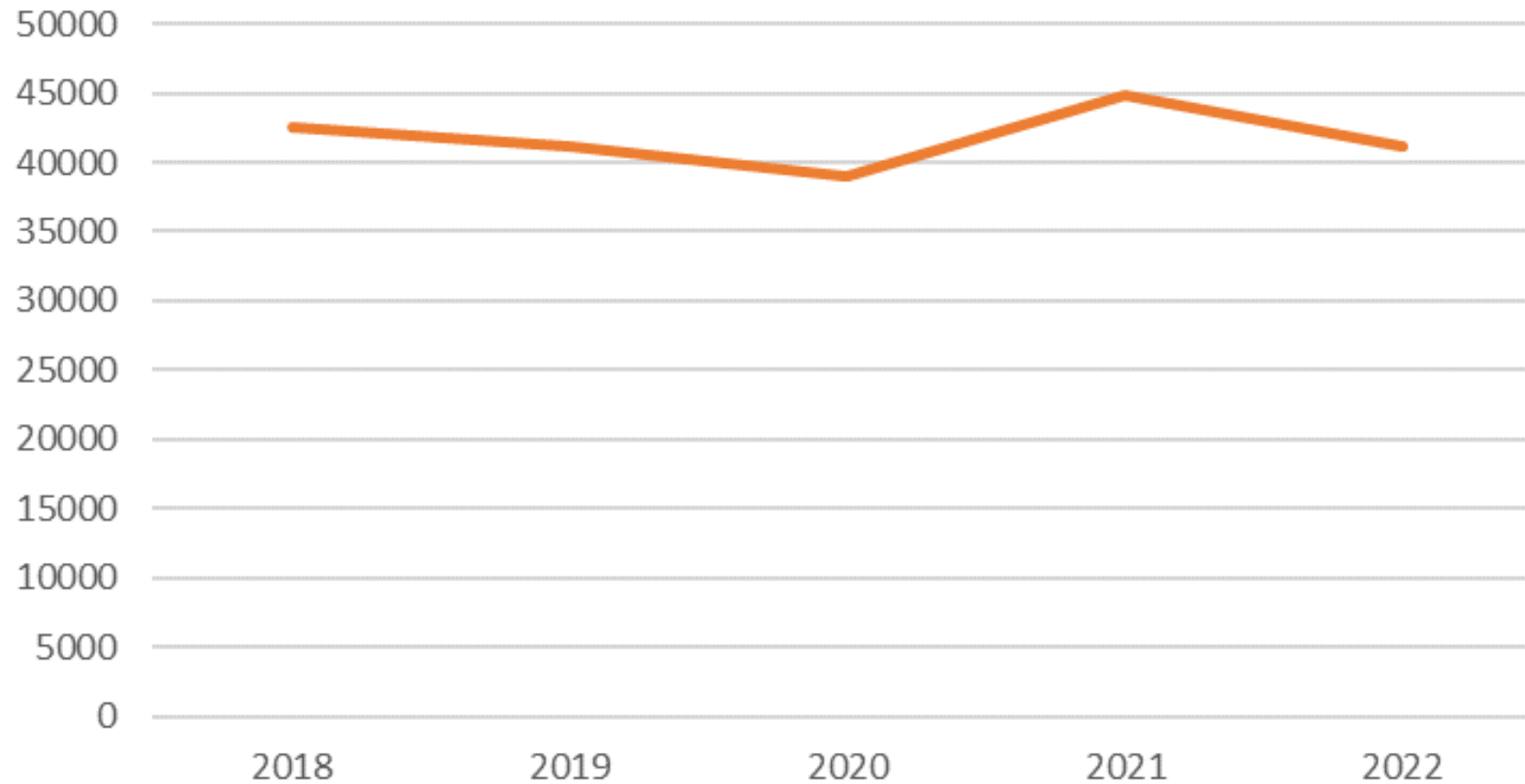
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Length of Stay by Year

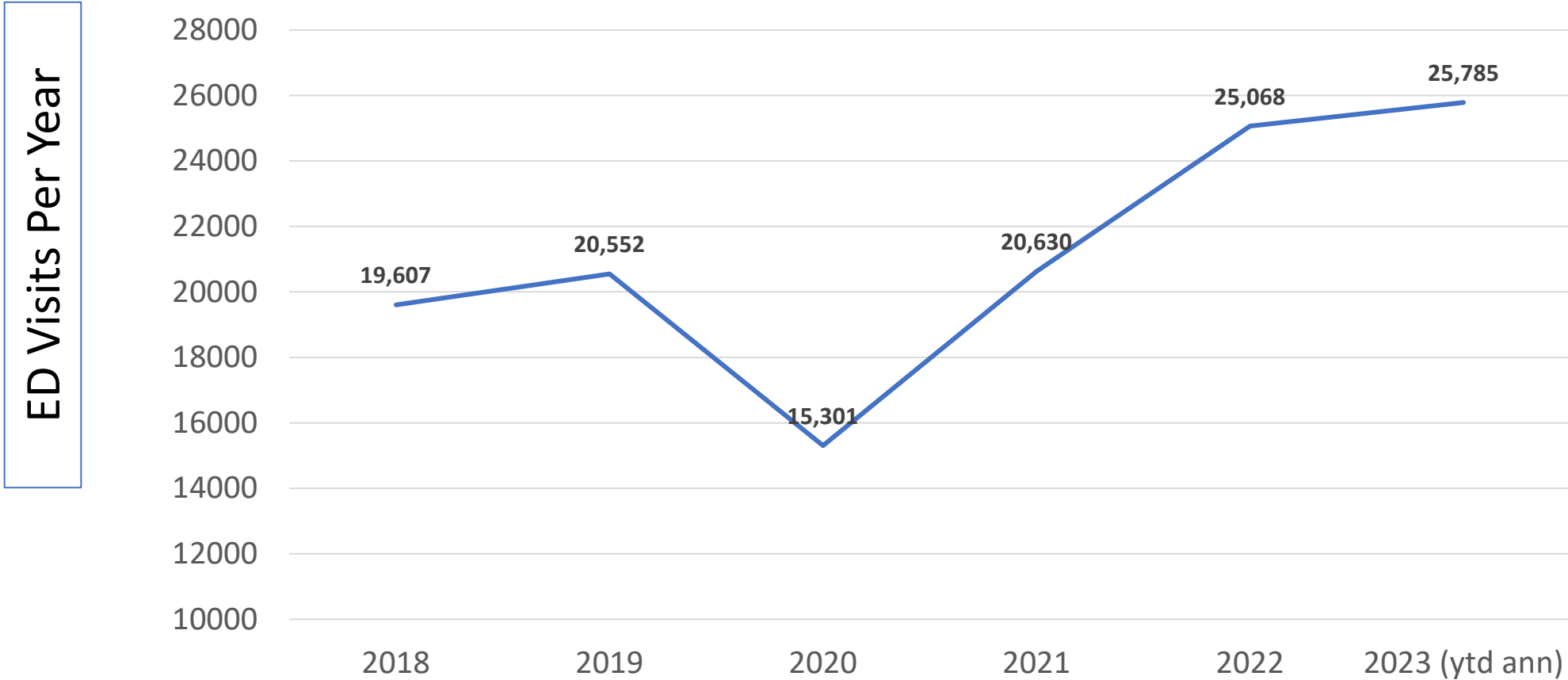


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Medicaid Cases by Year

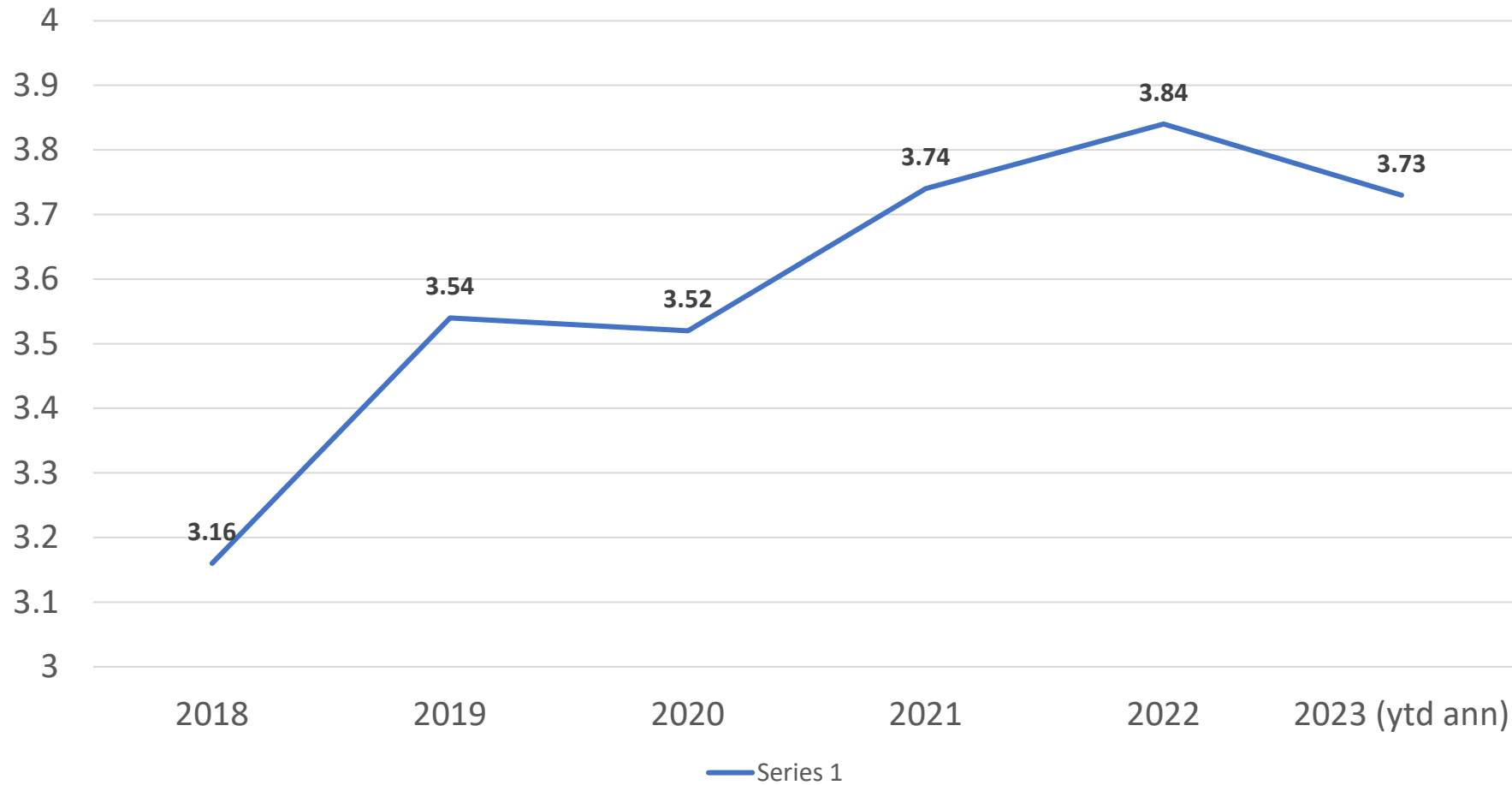


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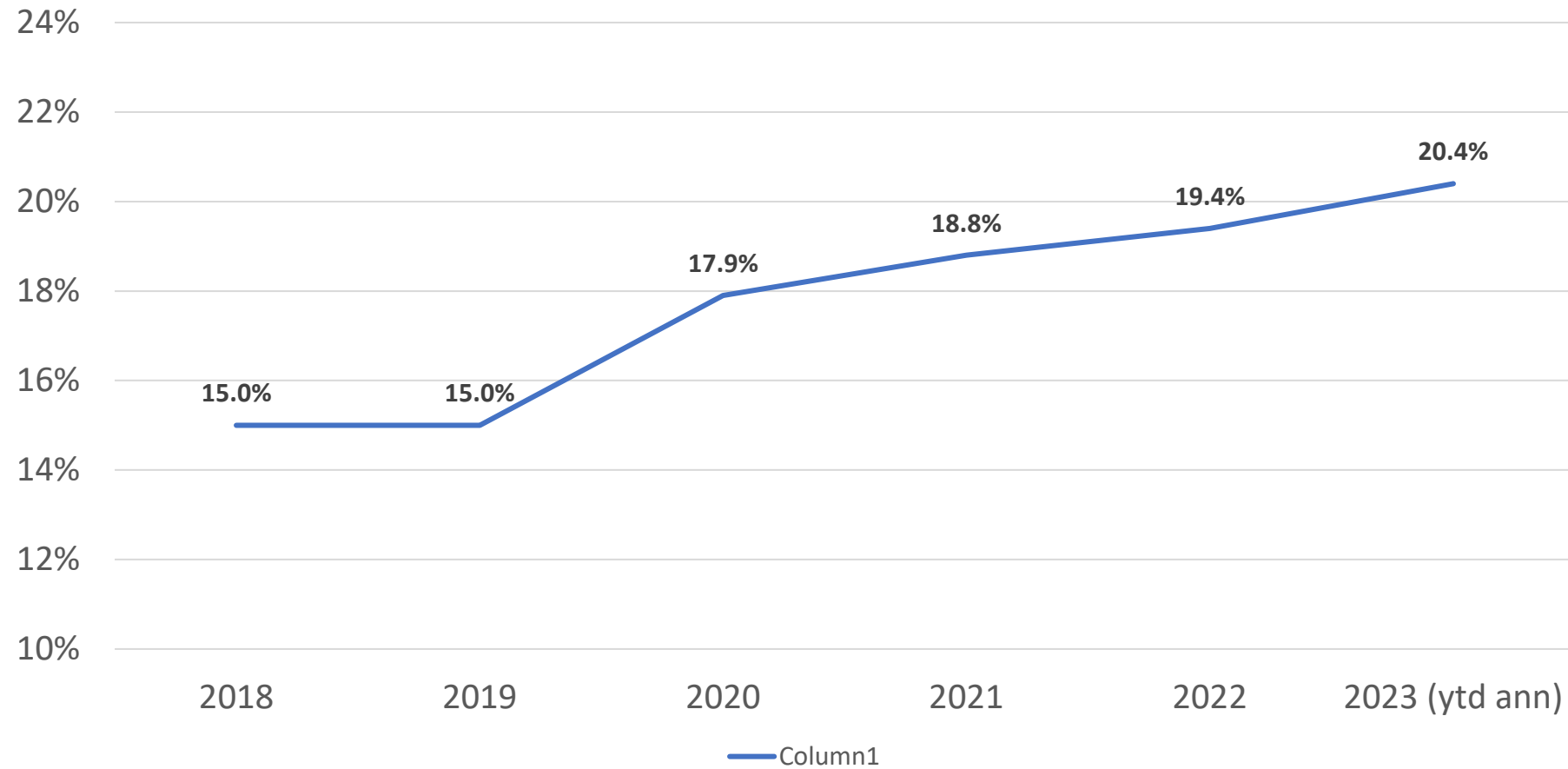
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Average Length of Stay



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Medicaid as a % of Revenue



Long-Term Care Facilities



Public Health and Social Services

As of 3/19/23:

- 10 COVID-19 outbreaks in congregate settings
 - 8 in long term care, 1 in a correctional facility and 1 in a shelter
- Total to date (3/19/23)
 - 362 COVID-19 outbreaks in congregate settings (LTCF, correctional, congregate housing – vast majority in LCTF)



Initiatives



Public Health and Social Services


Guidance Changes

- Shift in COVID-19 outbreak management from the facility level to the unit/wing level.
- The latest DOH Health Care COVID-19 guidance has removed quarantine except in rare circumstances (unable to mask, immunocompromised, etc.).
- PHSS issues guidance for enhanced mitigation measures which include quarantine of wing and holding admissions until there are 5 days of no new COVID-19 cases associated with the outbreak. If the facility has a plan for keeping new admissions to the wing in outbreak safe they may resume admissions before that time.



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 Thurston County Medic One

Hospital Turnaround Dashboard

Providence - St Peter Hospital
 ALS: Open BLS: Open
 Average Turnaround (3 Hour): 00:52:03 Live Average: 01:28:59

Unit	Incident Number	Call Info	Arrival Time	Duration
AMR13	223350511	Trauma	Inbound	-
AMR16	223350504	Breathing Difficulty	16:33:37	00:13:14
M6	223350521	Chest Pain/Heart	16:30:47	00:16:04
OLY4	223350417	WEAKNESS	14:51:43	01:55:08
M3	223350369	Seizures	13:15:16	03:31:35

MultiCare - Capital Medical Center Hospital
 ALS: Open BLS: Open
 Average Turnaround (3 Hour): 01:36:38 Live Average: -

Unit	Incident Number	Call Info	Arrival Time	Duration
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Providence - Centralia Hospital
 ALS: Open BLS: Open
 Average Turnaround (3 Hour): 00:13:26 Live Average: -

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Other Location Transports

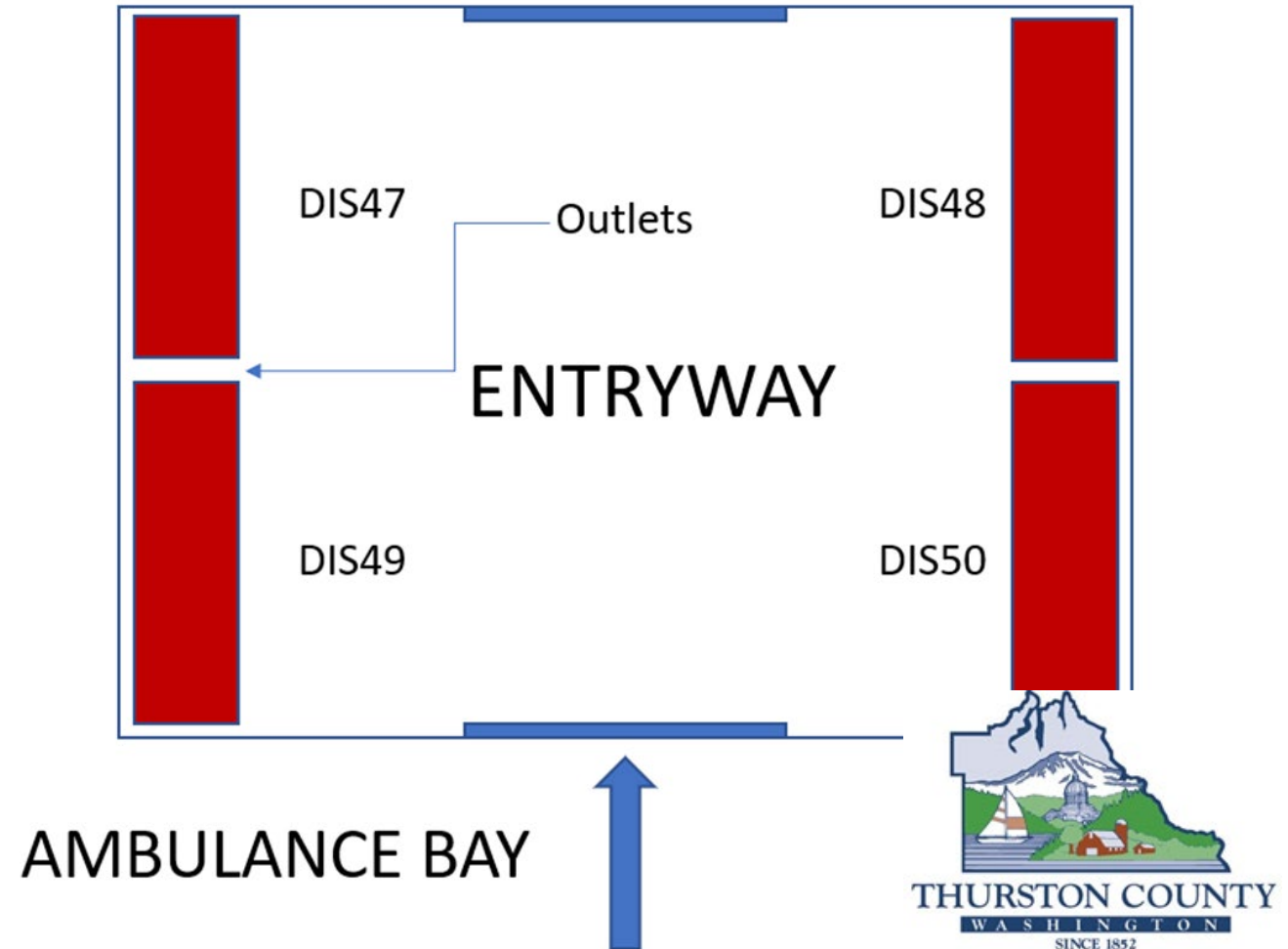
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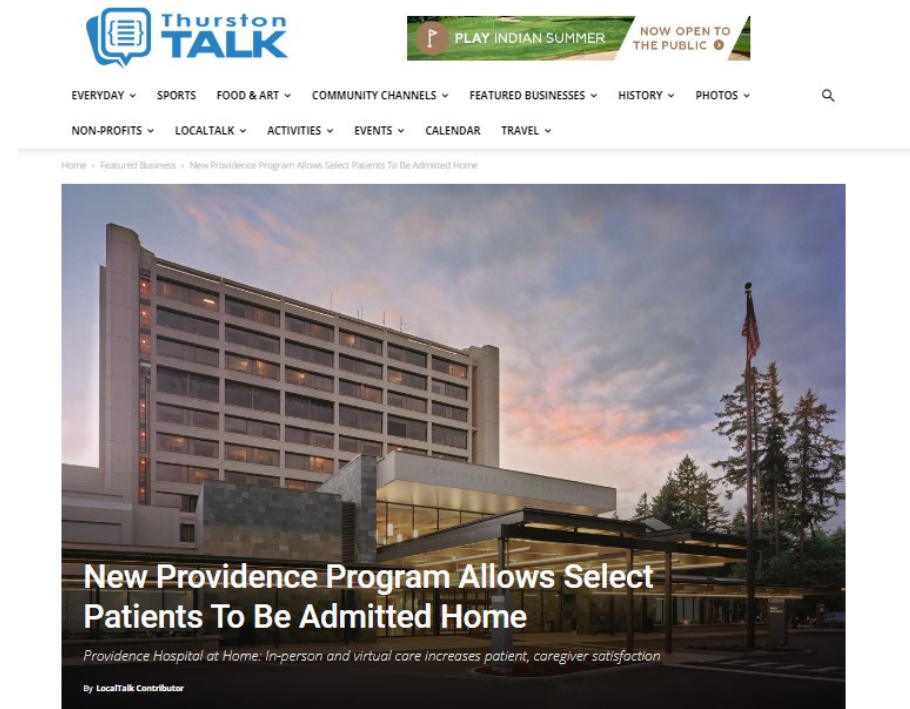
130 Hours of Ambulance Availability Returned To System 1/3/2023 – 2/21/2023



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MultiCare Capital Medical Center

Hospital Decompression

- Summer 2023 Anticipated Opening
 - 10 Exam Rooms
 - X-Ray
 - Ultrasound
 - CT
 - In-House Laboratory
 - Pediatric Providers

August 24, 2022

MultiCare breaks ground on new neighborhood emergency room in Lacey



TACOMA, Wash. — Today, MultiCare Health System broke ground on a new 10,000 emergency department located at 1055 Golf Club Road SE in Lacey.

The new facility will feature 10 exam rooms, on-site radiology services including x-rays; an in-house laboratory; and a pediatric provider available seven days a week be staffed by board-certified emergency physicians.





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In Conclusion



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